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SOVIET CONSUMPTION OF HIGH-QUALITY AND ROLLED STEEL

The following two tables present data on percentages of high-quality steel and rolled steel consumed by industries in the USSR from 1928 to 1934.

Consumption of High-Quality Steel in the USSR
(percent)

Industry	1928-29	1929-30	Special Quarter of 1930*	1931	1932	1933	1934
Ferrous metallurgy	4.4	5.4	7.6	7.3	5.9	4.6	10.7
Nonferrous metallurgy	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Machine building	87.1	87.2	86.0	86.7	87.1	90.5	85.1
Including:							
Automobiles and tractors	15.6	21.6	18.9	28.5	37.3	42.4	37.3
Tools (instrumenty)	21.7	18.3	23.6	10.5	6.6	5.2	4.1
Agricultural machinery	3.8	3.3	2.0	2.5	1.9	2.0	1.1
Electrical Engineering	11.8	9.8	14.0	7.3	6.1	4.7	3.7
Ball bearings	--	0.2	0.1	1.0	2.1	2.7	3.8
Machine tools	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.7

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Industry	1928-29	1929-30	Special Quarter of 1930*	1931	1932	1933	1934
Fuel industry	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.3	0.2
People's Commissariat of Transportation /Railways/	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
Industrial cooperatives	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.2
Other consumers	5.7	5.0	4.5	4.2	5.8	3.4	3.2
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
In 1,000 tons	130.9	210.6	77.1	434.9	666.2	820.0	1,163.7

*/Presumably last quarter of 1930./

Consumption of Rolled Steel in the USSR
(percent)

	1928-29	1929-30	Special Quarter of 1930	1931	1932	1933	1934
Transport	11.0	10.6	8.3	11.2	11.3	10.8	14.1
Metallurgical industry	60.5	68.6	70.9	68.6	68.3	67.4	64.0
Of which ferrous metallurgy	--	26.4	35.3	21.4	25.2	23.8	21.7
Nonmetallurgical industry (including regional power stations)	10.1	6.2	8.6	8.6	6.2	7.0	7.1
Industrial cooperatives	2.6	1.5	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8
Municipal economy and housing	3.9	1.3	1.0	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.6
Agricultural sector (zemledel'cheskiy sektor) and mass consumers	7.2	3.6	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.8
Export	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.7	0.4
Other consumers	4.3	6.0	8.9	8.9	11.4	10.9	11.2
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100	100

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